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Ravalli County Commissioners

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Ravalli County Courthouse
Hamilton, MT 59840

Dear Commissioners,

The Daly Mansion would like to ask for a letter of support for an application we are submitting to the Federal Government for restoration funds.

As you know we have been restoring the interior of the Mansion for the last 2 ½ years. The results of that work are spectacular. We would be delighted to take you on a tour if you could fit it into your schedules.

The work we have done so far has been paid for through private donations and federal grants. The general contractor is Reynolds Construction of Florence, MT. All of his subcontractors have been from the valley, with one exception.

We are proud of the work that has been done and are looking forward to stabilizing and restoring the outbuildings on the grounds, including the laundry and the children's playhouse.

We would appreciate a letter from you showing support for the work we are doing to preserve a very important story in Montana's history for future generations.

The deadline for the application is March 1, 2007.

Thank you for your consideration.

Best regards,

Sharon Schroeder
Daly Mansion Preservation Trust President